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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents

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*NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL*

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled

**MODELING METHOD AND PROGRAM FOR IN-MOLD COATING  
AN INJECTION MOLDED THERMOPLASTIC ARTICLE**

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1. **Type of Application**

☒ Original (non-provisional)

2. **Required Papers Enclosed under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular):**

24 Pages of specification  
02 Pages of claims (Claims 1-10)  
01 Page of Abstract  
11 Sheets of Formal/Informal Drawings (Figures 1-16)

3. **Declaration or oath**

☒ Enclosed

4. **Preliminary Amendment**

☐ Enclosed

5. **Language**

☒ English

6. **Assignment**

☒ An assignment of the invention to Omnova Solutions, Inc.:  
☒ A check in the amount of **\$40.00** is enclosed as well as the  
"Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet".

7. **Priority**

Priority is hereby claimed to Patent Application No. 60/442,983 filed  
January 28, 2003.

8. **Information Disclosure Statement**

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9. **Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16)**

CLAIMS AS FILED				
(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	10 - 20 =	0	x \$ 18	= \$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	2 - 3 =	0	x \$ 86	= \$ 0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (IF APPLICABLE) (37 CFR 1.16(d))		ANY - - 0	\$ 290	= \$ 0.00
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))				\$770.00
TOTAL =				\$ 770.00

10. ☒ A check in the amount of **\$770.00** is enclosed.

11. **Authorization to Charge Deposit Account**

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees or credit any overpayment during the entire pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.
- ☐ 37 CFR 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)
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